

FINANCIAL.

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The Merchants-Laclede National Bank

OF ST. LOUIS.

CAPITAL, - - - \$1,400,000

Surplus and Undivided Profits, - - - \$233,000

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J. C. LEWIS, Asst Cashier
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STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION

Continental National Bank
OF ST. LOUIS,
AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, FEB. 13, 1900,
AS RENDERED TO THE COMPTROLLER.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	\$ 6,616,110.55
Real Estate, Furniture and Fixtures	18,750.00
U. S. Bonds	188,860.00
Premium on U. S. Bonds	98,000.00
Other Stocks and Bonds	156,350.25
Cash on hand and Sight Exchanges	4,748,736.25
LIABILITIES.	\$ 12,626,981.00
Capital Stock	\$ 1,000,000.00
Surplus Funds	300,000.00
Unfilled Profits	112,861.96
National Bank Notes outstanding	215,367.30
Deposits	10,900,190.54

MISSISSIPPI VALLEY TRUST
COMPANY.
CAPITAL, SURPLUS AND PROFITS - - - \$6,500,000
PAYS
% on Daily Balances, Subject to Check.
% on Twelve Months' Certificates of Deposit.

LEAD-ZINC GOLD.

THE COLORADO-JOPLIN MINING AND MILLING CO., "COLORADO-JOPLIN" owns old JELLAKE tract, 80 acres, adjoining "STUMLINE" and "JAN" near Joplin, Mo.; owns Schleider-Dreher lease, 40 acres, near Odessa, Joaplne district; owns a large property in Carbon district, Colorado, all well located.

Lead and Zinc, which has already produced over \$25,000,000. "COLORADO-JOPLIN" stock quoted will soon be listed; present low price of full paid and non-assessable shares were last long.

Whether you want a few shares or many, see or write us, BUD GOMZ, SALES.

THE MCKINNIE-DAVIE INVESTMENT CO., OFFICES, 421 SECURITY BUILDING.

Bell Phone, Main 1108.

FINANCIAL.

N. W. Harris & Co.
BANKERSGovernment, Municipal,
Railroad, Gas and
Electric Companies

Bought and sold, including total issues

Letters of Credit and Drafts

Bank of Scotland, London,
C. & P. Lyons, Paris

INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS

204 Dearborn St., Chicago.

13 Nassau St., New York 67 Milk St., Boston

STOCK MARKET DULL
AND CLOSED INACTIVE.LATE CABLE NEWS HAD A
WEAKENING EFFECT.Standard Oil and Flour Brokers
Bought Tintions—Lack of
Outside Support.

EXCHANGES SUSPENDED.

New York, Feb. 16.—Relaxing between
good news and the bad, the foreign market
showed no important changes on the day.

Lord Bessborough's report, assessing terms of
the relief of Kimberley, continued to dominate
the relief of Kimberley. Consensus declined

on the day, and American stocks were firmer.

Between diamond shares and the
whole mining market were strong. There
was no change in the money situation. Par-
ticular houses were somewhat heavy.

Although London bought about 2000
shares at the morning, there was no real
sign of strength in the market, though
most stocks sold off, and were bought
back at the lower levels, especially by
large interests.

There was a fair demand for
cables on the expected large shipments from
Europe. The best opinion in the street does
not believe that the signs of recovery would

decline more than 5 per cent, but the stock
was considerably hard, and seems likely to
find buyers in the neighborhood of 10. The
collapse of the negotiations for funding the
Third Avenue Indebtedness had an impulsive
effect on the traction. Rumors of a
large financial consultation, embracing all
the companies in Greater New York, were
current, and it was felt that a Mr. and Mrs.
Whitney syndicate would take up the
financing of Third Avenue. The market
seemed to be generally suffering most for
the want of outside support, and in spite
of generally favorable conditions, it seems
hopeless to expect a healthy tone until
public support is restored. The reversal
of the enormous profits made by the
Carondelet company is likely to turn attention
to the trusts.

The day was dull and inactive, but firm
cable cables news, and that the British
Government is holding a conference to
effect upon international railroads Standard
Oil and Flower brokers bought fractions, but
the market was not supported.

Money, in spite of the anticipated
bad bank statement, was at one time ob-
tained at 4 per cent.

The news from South Africa was eminently
satisfactory from a market point of view.

The relief of Kimberley is in great
shape, with 2000 shares in the day, and
French, with 2000 shares, it is difficult to
see how General Consensus can get out without
sovereigns, and probably will be set-
tled in the next two days.

There was good deal of speculation as to
the loan statement, and it was generally
expected that the new rate would be
afforded a higher rate for money, but, in
view of the expansion of trade, 3½ per cent,
or even 4 per cent, would not do any harm.

BOND SALES AT NEW YORK.

THE PUBLIC SPECIAL.
New York, Feb. 16.—Sales of bonds were made

FINANCIAL.

STATEMENT OF
The National Bank of Commerce in St. Louis.

FEBRUARY 13, 1900.

RESOURCES
Charters and coin..... \$ 50,111.74
U. S. gold and each item..... 64,280.19
S. U. S. exchange..... 4,056.07

U. S. silver cert. bonds of 1897 at par..... 2,000,000.00
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Postal, express, etc..... 2,570,611.50
Bank, discounts, etc..... 18,205.00
Gold, silver, etc..... 20,000.00

\$10,441,544.58

LIABILITIES
Deposits, gold, silver, etc..... 2,000,000.00
Postal, express, etc..... 2,570,611.50
Bank, discounts, etc..... 18,205.00
Gold, silver, etc..... 20,000.00

\$16,138,525.34

B. F. EDWARDS, Cashier.

ACCOUNTS OF INDIVIDUALS, MANUFACTURERS, MERCHANTS, CORPORATIONS AND BANKS SOLICITED UPON FAVORABLE TERMS.

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